NEWS RELEASE

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For Immediate Release

On 03/25/13 at approximately 0358 hours, Officers of the Morgantown Police Department responded to a burglar alarm at the First Presbyterian Church, located at 456 Spruce Street. Upon arrival, officers discovered that a suspect had broken into the church. The suspect exited the church and officers were able to follow his footprints in the snow.

Officers continued tracking the footprints in the snow and at approximately 0540 hours, Rick N. Richter, a 46 year old from Morgantown, West Virginia, was found inside the Lutheran Campus Ministry, located at 1497 University Avenue. Mr. Richter was charged with two counts of Breaking and Entering. He was processed and transported to Monongalia County Processing Center, pending arraignment in the Monongalia County Magistrate Court.

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The Morgantown Police Department is committed to its goal of eliminating crime in our city. Citizens are encouraged to become a **"Partner in Policing"**, by reporting suspected criminal activity to Morgantown Police Department Switchboard at (304) 284-7522. If you need immediate Police attention or a crime is in progress call 911.